## EPA comments on the revised Groundwater and Surface Water Data Summary Report Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Columbia Falls, Montana Prepared for Columbia Falls Aluminum Company, LLC by Roux Associates, Inc. Dated February 9, 2018

## **General Comments**

Overall, EPA comments on the Groundwater and Surface Water Data Summary Report (GW-SW Report) were satisfactorily addressed. Specific comments follow.

## **Specific Comments**

Section 4.1 (Pages 29, 1st paragraph, last sentence) – Please remove the sentence. The table of vertical gradients indicates that the gradient is upward in most well clusters. This is adequately explained in the text following the table of vertical gradients.

Plate 10, September 2016 – Please revise the 3000 micrograms per liter ( $\mu$ g/L) contour around wells CFMW-031 (2440  $\mu$ g/L) and CFMW-028a (1020  $\mu$ g/L).

Plates 11 and 12 – Please change the legend to indicate that the dots refer to hydraulic conductivity data and not concentrations. Please also add the units (ft/day) to the notes or in the legend descriptions.